

EXCERPT FROM JOURNAL
OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL

Friday - 30 August 1974

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Talked to [] Chief, Retirement Affairs Division, and he is sending up a one-pager on his counselling program. First meeting with John Bird, editor of Dynamic Maturity magazine, has occurred and the second one is coming up shortly. Bird will get handout material, talk to [] people, and several employees who have gone through the program.

Told [] it would be helpful if we get a one-pager and then we can use it to keep our Subcommittees informed--which is more important than Mondale or Edwards.

Before doing anything with Mondale, etc., think through carefully because we may become pilot program for hearings, etc., and this should be determined if this is what Agency wishes.

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10 July 1974

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Legislative Counsel
THROUGH : ~~Director of Personnel~~
SUBJECT : Publicity Concerning CIA's Retirement Services

1. Approval has been received to permit the American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) to do a feature coverage of CIA's retirement services program in a future issue of its monthly magazine, DYNAMIC MATURITY. The AARP is very interested in fostering ideas concerning advance preparation for retirement and follow-up assistance to annuitants. AARP believes CIA has an advanced program and is anxious to write us up. The membership of AARP is approximately 5 1/2 million persons.

2. We understand that Senator Mondale (Minnesota) and Representative Edwards (California) have submitted bills in the present Congress designed to require ~~that~~ Federal departments and agencies to provide retirement services to their employees approaching retirement and to assist those already retired to find other employment, if they are so inclined. It is our understanding that Messrs. Mondale and Edwards believe, and have so stated, that Federal agencies are sadly lacking in this area. Their comments seem to indicate that they have no idea that a program such as we have in CIA is in operation.

3. The purpose of this memorandum, therefore, is to suggest that you brief an appropriate member of the staff of each of these two men about the program in CIA. Most Senators and Representatives like to be "in the know", not caught unprepared. I suggest it would be politic of CIA to brief them before the description of our "package" of services is featured in the magazine.

4. Arrangements have been made with Mr. John Bird, editor of DYNAMIC MATURITY, to hold the initial, preliminary discussion after mid-August.

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